

## Message Text

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EB/IFD/OMA:CERVIN (SUBS)  
EB/IFD/ODF:TPARKER (SUBS)  
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O 091615Z MAR 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY LUSAKA IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 060570

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIN, ZA, US

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE CUT-OFF OF EXIM DISBURSEMENTS ON  
REVOLVING SUPPLIER CREDITS

1. DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT EXIM BANK IS  
CONSIDERING WHETHER, IN VIEW OF POSSIBILITY OF ZAMBIAN  
DEBT RESCHEDULING, IT SHOULD SUSPEND DISBURSEMENTS UNDER  
EXISTING LINES OF SUPPLIER CREDIT. THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF  
CREDIT INVOLVED ARE 10-15 MILLION DOLLARS AND THE  
DISBURSEMENTS AFFECTED WOULD BE ONLY 10 TO 15 PERCENT  
OF THAT OVER THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.

2. REQUEST EMBASSY VIEWS ASAP ON IMPACT OF SUCH AN  
ACTION. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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